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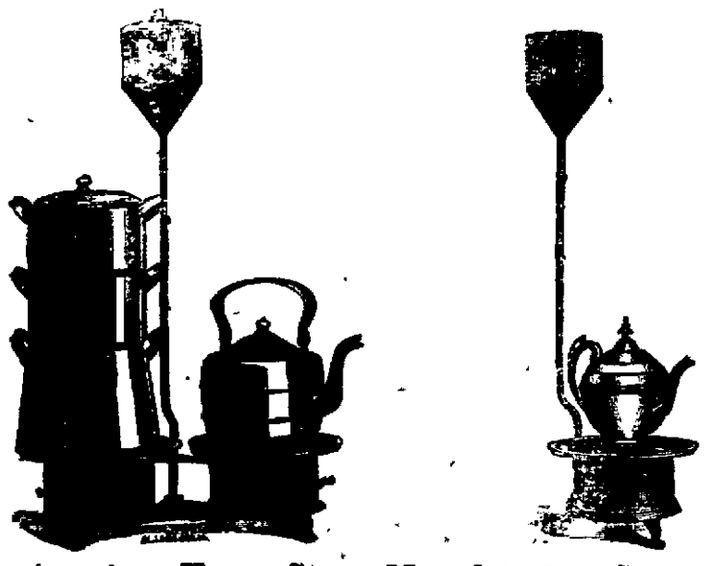

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DECATUR REVIEW.

ROBERTSON will be confirmed to-day

GARFIELD did not bring a shot gun to bear on Conkling.

WONDER if Mahone don't wish he were a democrat again?

Now that the senate is again democratic, of what use is Mahone?

POOR MAHONE! He has suddenly fallen from his position of importance.

MAHONE came with a great flourish of trumpets, but his piping is now that of a mouth organ

Guess the Peoria *Democrat* has fallen into the spelling reform movement: It now puts it "shivereed"

ENGLISH scientists are wrangling over the question whether alcohol hardens or softens the human brain.

"THE product of a fifteen minutes craze in the Chicago convention" is what a republican paper calls the president

WHEN the great republican party made the Mahone Gohrman-Riddleberger combination they could look for nothing but disaster in the near future.

AN amendment to the rules, by which speeches are hereafter to be limited to ten minutes, was adopted in the state senate the first day of this week. How discouraging to legislative oratory

GOOD for General Hillard! The Springfield *Monitor*, of Tuesday, says that "Gen. Hillard has issued an order disbanding one of the Quincy military companies, on the ground that it had rented its armony for immoral dances and other shows that were not within the range of decency. The general is determined that the National guard of this state shall not bring disgrace upon the people by whose bounty they live"

ELDER HENRY CUMMINGS, the Central figure in the famous Shaker settlement at Enfield, New Hampshire, has announced his determination to abandon the Shaker faith and get married to one of the sisters, which act upon his part will result in a practical dissolution of that body of Shakers. The majority of them will probably continue to follow the example of their Elder by also getting married and going out into the world. A few will, perhaps, say "nay"

GOV. CULLOM issued a proclamation on Monday last designating the 30th day of May, "next" as Decoration Day. Evidently the Govenor wrote that proclamation on Sunday, just after his return from a barber shop—the only kind of a shop calculated to have that effect upon the Govenor, now kept open at the capitol city on Sunday. But hold on! Perhaps it was the type on the *State Register* that had just got shaved.

OVER SIX thousand five hundred immigrants landed in New York during one day last week. The constant flow of immigration into this country from foreign shores has a lesson in it which we of this "home of the brave and land of the free" might heed with profit. It teaches us that patriotism ceases to exist in the hearts of every people when their liberties are restrained by the ruling power of their country. Let the United States of America smother out every sentiment of centralized power, and by maintaining the principles of universal liberty, continue to invite to her shores the oppessed of every land.

WHY don't our afternoon neighbor get down from the Conkling-Garfield fence and let his readers know where he stands? No matter whether there is to be any "lowering of the Republican banner" or not; no matter if there is "no weakening of the party lines wherever democrats are to be fought," there can be no denying the fact that either Conkling or Garfield must be off the straight and narrow way that leads to republican glory, and in justice to those republicans of this community who may look to it as a guide in the formation of their opinions, the *Republican* should say which one it is. Or does it prefer to wait to see where the weight falls?

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

SMOOTH SAILING!

Such Will be Robertson's Early Entry into the Port of New York.

His Nomination Reported Favorably by the Committee Yesterday, and His Confirmation Expected To-day.

Conkling Expects to be Re-elected, But He May be Again Disappointed.

DISTRESSING FIRE

In the City of Nashville, Tenn.—The Fire Still Beyond Control.

Robertson Reported Favorably

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The senate committee on commerce this morning decided to report in favor of confirming the nomination of Judge Robertson as collector of New York; General *Merritt*, consul general, London, and General Badeau, charge de affairs at Denmark. These nominations will be reported back to the senate during to day's executive session, but will doubtless be laid over under the general rule until to morrow.

Gone Over

WASHINGTON, May 17 —Robertson will be reported favorably to the senate by Senator *McMillan* and will go over until to morrow on objection A resolution was offered to remove the injunction of secrecy instantly in the Matthews case and the objection went over until to-morrow

Douglas Confirmed

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The senate, in executive session, confirmed the nomination of Frederick Douglas as recorder of deeds for the District of Columbia There was some opposition and considerable debate, but he was confirmed by an overwhelming majority The nominations of Judge Robertson, General Merritt and General Badeau were reported back from the committee of commerce and placed on the calander with the committee's recomendation for confirmation They will be called up for action to-morrow Senators Cameron, of Wisconsin, *McMillan*, *Minnesota*, and Jones, Nevada, republican members of the commerce committee, all voted against reporting in favor of the confirmation of Robertson

Cameron Wanted to Resign

HARRISBURG, PA, May 17.—In the senate Alexander offered the following: Resolved by the senate, if the house concur, that we heartily endorse the course of Senators Conkling and Platt in resigning their seats as members of the senate of the United States, and recommend Senators Cameron and Mitchell to do likewise. On motion of Mr. Cooper the resolution was referred to a select committee, composed entirely of democrats

The Executive Session.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—When the senate went into executive session the nomination of Fred Douglas to be recorder of deeds for the District of Columbia was taken up. Senator Hill, of Georgia, led the opposition to the confirmation, claiming Douglas was not a fit man for so responsible a position; that he managed the marshalship badly, and as recorder of deeds might, by loose management, involve much real estate. Some reference to the democratic enmity to the colored race, gave the debate a tinge of politics.

The commerce committee is ready to report Robertson favorably as soon as the Douglas case is out of the way

It is said now that Senator Jones, of Nevada, is the only member of the committee who voted against a favorable report on Robertson. One objection will carry Robertson over until to-morrow, and as Jones said this morning the objection would be made, it is supposed he will make it. There is not the least doubt of Robertson's confirmation by to-morrow at the outside by an overwhelming vote. It is estimated that not more than five or six votes will be cast against him. The retirement of Conkling and Platt has caused the opposition to Robertson to melt away Two senators who were against Robertson have, since yesterday, declared their intention to vote for him. So far diligent inquiries among the senators of both parties by the Western Associated Press reporter all elicit the opinion that Conkling expects to be re-elected. There is no difference of opinion about this, though a few suggest that probably he may find it harder to get back than he had supposed. The action of the New York senate in adjourning before receiving a notification of the resignation yesterday is construed here as an unfavorable indication for Conkling. That action postpones the election a week longer than would have been necessary had both houses received the official notification yesterday. The senators all agree too that the senate will adjourn this week, unless the president should have some business to detain them

Nashville in Flames.

CINCINNATI, May 17.—Private advices from Nashville, Tenn, concerning the fire are meagre, but of the most sensational character. They are to the effect that the fire has been raging since 2 o'clock this morning, that the Western Union Telegraph office, the *Maxwell* house and American newspaper office are destroyed. The mayor of Nashville telegraphs the most alarming news to Louisville, expressing fears that the whole city will be burned. Louisville has sent engines. Chief Bunker of this city has received no call, but is in readiness for one

Getting Along Without Help.

A writer in the New York Evening Post puts it this way: There are many women who are doing without so-called "help" who are not, as one expressed it the other day, "well enough to keep a girl." They are tired in body and mind of the vexation and expense of keeping one. Some young wives, too, are waking up to the fact that it is asking a great deal of a man who is just beginning life to support at the outset two women both of whom are ignorant as a rule.

There is probably no experience which will so rudely dispel "Love's young dream" as the countless ills a man brings upon himself by setting up housekeeping. No wonder that most brides wish to board for a year after marriage, and unless morally certain of the abiding affections of a husband who knows that so far as practical housekeeping is concerned he must look for a good deal of the "worse" with a very little "better," the average bride had better board for a while.

The ordinary domestic as positively poisons the atmosphere of a home as does the fatal sewer gas. The kitchen door may be firmly closed, escapes may be provided for all the smells of the cook room, but the uneasiness and unhappiness, caused by the thought of a sullen faced woman in the kitchen, one who regards all who have more than she has and less work to do as her natural enemies, one who is, to say the least, not in harmony with her environments, and which rise to the mistress in her sitting room, and like grief "walk up and down" with her, cannot be conducted off in pipes, or even be estimated by any meter now known.

If one is so situated that she can get along without a girl she is a happy woman; if she is a wise woman she may spare herself the hardest work, having the washing and ironing done out of the house. This leaves her with the light work, which though it may be somewhat monotonous and confining, is healthful, and is not trying to the spirit as are the troubles arising from having a poor girl.

Each day's work is so nearly alike that it can be systematized and made easy after a few weeks' experience. It is said that one explanation of the faultless system in German households is that the servants who do the every day work are not called upon to do the washing, but others are hired to do this. There are some homes in this country also where blue Monday is dropped out entirely, and aside from the general setting of rights after a pleasant Sunday, Monday is not unlike other happy homes.

Handsome Hindoos.

The women of Calcutta, says a correspondent of the San Francisco Chronicle, are, as a rule, very beautiful, in so far as one can reconcile beauty with the olive complexion, but fade rapidly after reaching the age of maturity. It is not unfrequently that one sees women at the age of twenty-five with furrowed jowl and crow's feet visibly encroaching the corners of her large, lustrous black eyes, and at the age of thirty many have a decided stoop and decrepit gait, as if old age had laid the vandal hand heavily upon their shoulders.

The decline is rapid, and within the space of five years we behold a form, whereupon beauty had loved to sit enthroned, now ravished by the merciless grip of decay. Not old age, however, for this early decline is due to two causes: the very early and tender age at which nuptials are performed, and the destructive influences of the climate.

Barring that relic of barbarism, the nose ring, there is no creature more comely, more lovable, than a "Mem Sahib" of Bengal between the ages of 12 and 18.

Cleanliness is their constant care, which is a virtue to begin with.

A figure somewhat below the medium height, and unhampered by corset or weighty skirt, and arrayed in a loose-flowing robe of white, the upper portion of which is thrown carelessly over the left shoulder, exposing to view the swelling bust and well rounded arm. The upper portion of the body is encased in a sleeveless jacket, generally of some brilliant color, and tastefully worked with silver or gold and silver thread. The arm is bare from shoulder to wrist, save a goodly portion of the wrist, which is encircled by many bands of either silver or gold. The lower part of the ample robe is drawn tightly over the hips and looped at the left side, much after the manner of the entrance to a circus tent, defining boldly the contour of a faultless figure.

These ladies, in the matter of stockings, are not desultory, as they wear no shoes, and consequently no stockings, and little of the ankle is visible between the borders of their robe and the curiously little mirrored toe-rings and resonant ankles.

Said the little pet of the household on her birthday: "It's a lovely doll, dear grandpa and grandma. But—but—I'd been hoping it would be twins."

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M. FORSTMEYER.

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CONKLING and his friends are very unhappy. Even his enemies in his party wear long faces on account of the matter. Poor fellows! Will the country survive it?

A MEETING of the Lincoln Monument Association has been called for next Thursday, at which time it is designed to consider the recent proposition of Larkin G. Meade, the sculptor, who has written that he is now engaged in modeling three additional statues for the Lincoln monument at Springfield, to represent Freedom, Justice, and Peace.

THE monument which has recently been erected by Secretary Robert Lincoln over the grave of his grandfatehr, Thomas Lincoln, who was buried in Gordon Cemetery, Pleasant Grove township, Coles county, about ten miles south-west of Charleston, bears the inscription: "Thomas Lincoln, father of the Martyred President, born January 6th, 1778, died January 15th, 1851." Beneath this inscription in large letters is the word "Lincoln."

THE Chicago *Tribune* claims to have discovered a star route on the Mississippi river, between St. Louis and St. Paul, on which $29,000 a year was paid, with General Brady's knowledge, for carrying an empty mail bag with no letters in it, back and forth by steamboat. Such is speculating republicanism. Just think of the amount of such rascality that could be unearthed if the people would simply change parties for the country's good. As it now is it is just such work which continues to supply the means by which to perpetuate the republican party's power.—Jacksonville *Courier*.

THE Peoria *Journal* which is recognized as a good republican paper says of the star route scandals:

It is now said that all the scandals connected with the star routes were laid before President Hayes, and that he was told that unless he took prompt measures it would end in shame, and disgrace the whole party. Hayes told his informants that he would give the evil prompt attention. There it rested. He did nothing at all, and the star route plan was extended and perpetuated. Even Garfield was not above calling on the contractors to return some of the money that they had stolen from the public service, and by this means Indiana was saved to the republican cause. The whole thing is rotten from beginning to end, and the whole ought to be looked into and Dorsey, Brady, and the rest put under the harrow.

Not Creditable.

(New York Times.)

The senate has confirmed, by a majority of one, the nomination of Mr. Stanley Matthews as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Even this narrow majority was purely accidental, and it may safely be said that no man has ever been elevated to the Supreme Court Bench under more questionable auspices. The intelligent opinion of the country has been against him as has also the preponderating weight of character and ability on both sides of the senate. If his nomination by Mr. Hayes was discreditable, its renewal by Mr. Garfield after the emphatic protests of the press and the legal profession, has been still more so. He owes his confirmation to Democratic votes, and will take his seat on the bench under such a cloud of suspicion as to his character, and affiliations as must greatly interfere with his usefulness. It is to be feared that the traditional public respect for the judicial strength and impartiality of the Supreme Court will not survive a repetition of such a nomination as was yesterday approved by the senate.

"Thieves and Children."

(Chicago Tribune, Rep.)

Prof. Swing says: "The nation which pays millions a year for carrying imaginary mail-bags along imaginary highways by means of imaginary steamboats and shadows horses and shadow wagons is as yet a nation of mingled children and thieves,—of which charity hopes the children are in the majority." This is a graphic picture of the shame which has fallen upon the Nation through the "star route" infamy. Prof. Swing calls the persons connected with this gigantic swindle "thieves," and, with equal force, refers to the people who have been robbed as "children." It may be a little humiliating to the masses of the great American people to be told bluntly that they are "children," helpless in the hands of thieves! Each "child" is a sovereign, a part of the Government which has been robbed. Each child has contributed his share, in taxes, of the sum of which the Government has been plundered. Each child is proud of the fact that he is part of the law-making, law-executing power of the land. But if the children reflect, if they take a retrospective view of the past, they will probably be painfully impressed with a sense of duty neglected in the matter of executing laws against public plunders. They will find that the "thieves" have generally been more than a match for them. They will find that very few of the public plunderers are in the Penitentiary, while many of them are at large enjoying the fruits of their plunder, and that these latter, in numerous instances, hold their heads very high in the community. Prof. Swing's caustic remark about "children" cuts like a knife. It shows with what lofty and just contempt a philosopher regards the political situation. The wag who divided the community into three classes—the righteous, the wicked, and the Beecher family—was not more severe upon the Beecher family than Prof. Swing is upon the children. He divides the community into two classes,—thieves and children,—and "*hopes* the children are in the majority." No doubt the children are in the majority, but they are only children, while the thieves are full-grown men. And in this country the thives' defiant retort, "What are you going to do about it?" has passed into a proverb. No sooner is the thief sent to jail than the sympathy of the children begins to find expression. They plead for him before the Grand Jury. They "hang" the trial jury for his benefit. They strain every nerve to keep the "unfortunate" out of the Penitentiary.

How can ordinary children deal with this class of public plunderers? They stand in awe of such mighty men; they have neither the moral courage nor the muscle to seize them by the nape of the neck and cast them into prison. The elder children—Grant and Beecher—"sat at meat" with the chief of the star-route contractors, and pronounced eulogies upon his magnificent achievements. Prof. Swing must have had these two distinguished "children" in mind when he divided the community into two classes—"thieves and children." "You have carried the country, Mr. Dorsey," said Gen. Grant, at that famous dinner. "You have changed the aspect of the whole continent for the next ten or fifteen years, Mr. Dorsey," exclaimed Mr. Beecher. He would have been closer to the truth if he had said: "You have seamed the Great American Desert all over with star postal-routes, and had your contracts over them 'expedited' for the *last* ten or fifteen years, Mr. Dorsey must have laughed in his sleeve as he listened to these eulogies, and thought: "I am sure of Clint Wheeler in the postal contract office now." He knew then what Prof. Swing has found out at last, that Grant and Beecher were mere children, while he was a full grown man.

Well, what are the children going to do about it? Are they going to tremble in the presence of the star-route contractors and their coparceners in office? Are they going to weep over them and sympatize with them? Or are they going to demand their prosecution and punishment?

Consoling.

(Globe-Democrat.)

The Washington *Post*—the democratic organ of the Administration at the Capital—having cited the fact that President Taylor nominated and caused to be confirmed as Collector of New York, Hugh Taxwell, against the protests of the two senators from the State and Vice President Fillmore, is reminded by the Washington *Republican* that the quarrel which was brought about by that act resulted in the defeat of the Whig party, not only in New York but throughout the country.

EDUCATIONAL ITEMS.

First and second grade examination for teachers' certificates next Saturday. Come early.

"Life is too short to learn more than one business well."

Miss Fannie Smith is teaching her third term at the Hale school in Milam township. The enrollment shows an attendance of about twenty for the spring term. Miss S succeeds in preserving excellent discipline among the little ones and uses modern methods for all explanations.

"Cut your coat according to your cloth."

J. H. Hughes is still teaching at Mt. Zion. He has an attendance of twenty-eight. He is thoroughly drilling a class in mental arithmetic. The time thus spent will soon show an income of a good *interest* in the no distant future. A good analysis is worth all the rules.

"By jumping at the stars you may fall in the mud."

Eddie Hoy, of the Decatur High School, made a grade of 100 in the examination on geometry and trigonometry. No other pupil made this grade, although one made 99.

"Be swift to hear; slow to speak; and slow to wrath."

Miss Annie E. Russel is the teacher at Renshaw school in Hickory Point township. While her school is quite small, the interest is plainly visible. This is a small district, but contains a neat little house well furnished with the exception of dictionary, wall-map, &c., &c.

"Drive your business and do not let it drive you."

Miss C. A. Condon teaches the McGee school this summer. Mr. McConnell who taught this school last winter, is stiring the ground for corn and the festive "tater bug" this summer.

"An industrious man is tempted by one devil: an idle man by seven."

Prof. J. N. Wilkinson, of the Decatur High School, is to make a speech, read a paper, or talk about "Recess" at the annual meeting at the school Principals of Illinois, to convene at Rockford July 6th.

"When anger rises breathe through your nostrils."

Arthur Willard will teach at the Union School, Harristown township, this fall and winter. F. B. Smith will teach at the White school house in Whitmore.

"The master's eyes are worth both his hands."

Miss Fracia Hill is the new teacher at Dutch Point, in Hickory Point township. Miss H. is doing excellent work here. The house took fire some time since, but by the prompt action of a boy the flames were stayed ere much damage was done. An insurance company looked up the loss and paid it without a murmur.

"Use your credit sparingly. Pay day is sure to come."

Miss Nellie Hendrick's school sing like nightengales in the Mound school in above township. Teachers, let your pupils sing.

Oreana Items.

Our little burg of 66 inhabitants, 2 churches, 2 dry goods stores, 3 hotels, 1 blacksmith shop, post office and railroad station, can boast of a very neat appearance at present.

Residents have cleaned up their premises, and several buildings have had a new coat of paint, which renders the village very attractive.

The merry hum of industry is in our midst. Our grain and dry goods merchants are doing a fair business.

The schools in the vicinity are prospering very well.

The people of Whitmore are certainly a reading people, judging from the amount of mail which passed through our village office.

Last Sabbath, Rev. Mr. Roach preached a very eloquent sermon to a large and attentive audience, at the close of which the ordinance of baptism was administered to two penitents. Wm. Cooper and Henry Bower were ordained Deacons.

Miss Kittie Steninger, of Weldon, Tazewell county, is in the village visiting relatives and friends.

Low-cut shoes and striped stockings are the rage with the young men of our burg.

Farmers are busy plowing and planting. The corn planted last week is making its appearance above ground. A large acreage is being planted in this vicinity.

A Z., our honorable justice, is anxiously waiting for some of our young people to give him a matrimonial call.

R. Kirby's new barn is completed and looks superb.

Lute Ruddock has returned from his recent trip to Kansas improved in health.

Miss Sarah Moothert will leave for Ohio, Tuesday 24th, to visit relatives.

Our Sunday school is in a prosperous condition, with Father Lyons as superintendant.

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PRESS OPINIONS.

Can take a few Sniffs.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Relieved of the care of holding up the country by the tail, Mr. Conkling can now slip down to the seashore and fortify his constitution with a few sniffs of iodine.

Black List Senators.

New York Sun.

Whatever individuals styling themselves Democrats may do, the National Convention of the party can never select for its candidate a man who has given to Jay Gould the control of the Supreme Court.

Exactly So.

Philadelphia Times.

The people may well question the capacity of Democrats for public service when a majority of the Democratic Senators vote to put a man like Stanley Matthews on the Supreme Bench.

John and Eliza.

Atlanta Constitution.

If the Star Route investigation goes on prehaps John Sherman can be induced to take his Aunt Eliza Pinkston by the hand and lead her up in front of some obscure affidavit manufactory.

The Sun O.K.

Cincinnati Commercial.

It is a good thing to have confidence restored in the Sun. The winter of 1880-81 was so long and sharp that there were apprehensions as to the state of the solar system.

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J. M. MYERS,

Wants to see every man in this section who has a

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For the season, cleaned, kept dry, and put up when wanted for use in the fall, by

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Legal.

PETITION FOR PARDON,

To all whom it may concern:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT ON SATURDAY, MAY 21ST, A. D., 1881,

a petition will be presented to the Governor of Illinois for the pardon of Herman Myer, convicted of the crimes of burglary and larceny at the December term, 1880, of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, and now serving out his term of confinement in the northern penitentiary.

-A. J. KELLY.

Decatur, 1881 3w

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Louisa Miller, Moses Miller, Windfield S. Miller and Samuel S. Miller, by their certain deed of trust, bearing date the Sixth day of May, A. D., 1878, said deed of trust being recorded in book No. 80, and on page 395, of the records in the Recorder's office of Macon County Illinois, did convey to the undersigned as trustee, the following described premises, situated in Macon County, Illinois, to-wit: Commencing one hundred and twenty-eight (128) feet west of the south-east corner of the west half of the north-west quarter of section number fifteen, (15) township sixteen (16) north, range two, east of the Third principal meridian, thence running west one hundred and twenty-eight (128) feet, thence north three hundred and forty (340) feet, thence east one hundred and twenty-eight (128) feet, thence south three hundred and forty (340) feet to the place of beginning, containing one acre, more or less, to secure an indebtedness of one thousand dollars, to the People's Homestead, Savings and Loan Association of Decatur, Illinois. And whereas, default has been made in the payment of monthly dues and interest upon said indebtedness for the period of more than six months, and said association and their assigns, have elected to declare said indebtedness due and payable, and have requested the undersigned trustee to advertise and sell the above described premises under the provisions of the above said trust deed, to pay said indebtedness, which, on the hereafter named day, will amount to the sum of six hundred and eighty-eight dollars and ninety-seven cents (688 97). Now, the efore, in pursuance of the authority upon me conferred by said deed of trust, I, the undersigned trustee, will, on

TUESDAY, 31ST DAY OF MAY, A. D., 1881,

at the hour of two o'clock, p. m., at the west outside door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and equity of redemption of said Louisa Miller, Moses Miller, Windfield S. Miller and Samuel S. Miller, in and to the above described premises.

JOSIAH M. CLOKEY, Trustee.

April 30, A. D., 1881.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.—I will sell the lot south of D. C. Moffitt's, also lots on Macon street.

mar30-'80 MICHAEL PHELAN.

FOR SALE. Two lots in S. S. Jack's addition of out lots to the city of Decatur. They are each 40x200 feet and front south on Jefferson street. They are directly north of the site of the old rolling mill. Inquire of R. H. PARK, Argenta, or at this office.

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We will sell about

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lying in two sections, 19 and 30, town 15,3 east, cheap. It is a part of what is known as the "Williams farm." It lies about five miles east of Macon and about six miles south west of Mt. Zion. It will be rented if not sold. CREA & EWING.

Decatur, Ill., April 25 d&w2w.

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In the south-western part of the city, on Forest avenue, between Sigel and Green streets. House, 1½ stories with 5 rooms. Good barn and other improvements. Inquire on the premises.

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FOR SALE.—I will sell my

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Corner of Macon and College streets, part cash, balance on time to suit purchaser. Will also sell at private sale, household goods consisting of parlor set, marble-top table, extension table, large walnut wardrobe, bedroom set, bedsteads, chairs, stands and other household goods. Inquire soon on the premises. MRS. DR. R. C. DAWKINS.

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ESTRAY NOTICE.

Come to the place of the subscriber, one half mile south-west of the city, an iron gray mare. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying all expenses.

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WEDNESDAY - - MAY 18, 1881

Entered as second class mail matter at the Post-office, Decatur, Ill., for transmission through the U. S. Mails.

Books and stationary at the 99c store. mar28

Some more 99c tables at 24 Merchant street. mar28

See the new bird cages at the 99c store. mar28tf.

Baby's pictures a specialty, at A. T. Grist's. mar13dtf

Crayon and India Ink work done in the best style at A. T. Grist's. mar19tf

Ed. Denz guarantees the lowest prices, best goods and neatest fits. d3m

Butterick's spring paterns and publications at hand to-day.
feb18dtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

H. F. May & Bro. have just recеved a car load of choice potatoes from the dtf

E. T. Dennis has everything in the second-hand line southeast corner of New Square. w2w

A good square meal on quick notice at the Union House, North side city park. d4w

Ladies' misses' and children's shoes of all kinds and qualities at C. W. Challis' post office block. d&wtf

Childrens' and misses' school shoes cheap at post office block shoe store. d&wtf

For fine photographic work, go to A. T. Grist's, No. 25 Water street. mar19dtf

All the latest novelties in millinery goods are now ready for inspection at Bear & Einsteins. April-15tf

Don't fail to call on E. T. Dennis, who cannot be undersold in second hand goods southeast corner of New Square. w2w.

Photo's $1 a doz., cabinets $3, at Mrs. Krones, over Nat'l Bank Water street. 5tf

A full line of notions and furnishing goods very cheap at Bear & Einsteins. April-15tf

Complete line of lady's and men's satchels from the common to the best grades. KEELER.

Millinery and hair goods in latest styles at Miss Emma Williams' rooms on Prairie street. d&w2m

An elegant line of baskets, wall pockets and towel racks just received at the 99c store. mar28

Call on Butzein & Hausmann, corner of Prarie and Noth Main streets, and have your furniture repaired. Mar17d.

Bear & Einstein have all the new shades of kid gloves for spring and summer, every pair of which they guarantee. April-15tf

C. W. Challis, post office block keeps the most complete assortment of boots and shoes in the city, and is bound to sell if low prices will do it. d&wtf

Persons wanting help, or employment call at the Union House, general Intelligence office, North side city park. d4w

Come in and take a look at our breech and muzzle loaders, 10 to 12 pounders, price below all competition. KORSMEYER & O'NEILL.
Two doors east of the post office

Cole & Hodges are serving choice meals at all hours, at their restaurant, No. 8, Water street, also delicious lunch and hot coffee on call. april4dtf.

A new and select stock of millinery just received by Miss Emma Williams, south side of Prairie street, second door from Water. d&w2m

If you wish to have your teeth extracted without pain go to Dr. Cormans
SIGN OF GOLDEN TOOTH.
May-4d&w2w

Don't fail to examine and price those superb *Pianos* and *Organs* at Prescott's if you want to buy. He sells the very best makes. d&w1t

If you have any copying to do take it to A. T. Grist's gallery, No. 25, Water street. Prices as low as any gallery. mar19dtf

Don't fail to call and see those Pantaloon Paterns (spring styles) just received at J. Foley's. feb4dtf

Men's heavy boots as low as $2 00 calf boots $2 50 at sign of big boot upside down, post office block. d&wtf

For any burn, bruise, sore or inflammation, external or internal, apply Trask's Magnetic Ointment. If it succeeds, tell your friends; if it don't the price will be refunded. d&w

You can find the favorite waist corset the newest thing and very cheap at Bear & Einsteins. April-15tf

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First class rooms at the Union House. Four gentlemen boarders wanted. Inquire and be convinced. d4w

HOME SONG.

Stay, stay at home, my heart, and rest;
Home-keeping hearts are happiest,
For those that wander they know not where
Are full of trouble, full of care:
To stay at home is best.

Weary and homesick and distressed,
They wander east, they wander west,
And are baffled and beaten and blown about
By the winds of the wilderness of doubt;
To stay at home is best.

Then stay at home, my heart, and rest;
The bird is safest in its nest;
O'er all that flutter their wings and fly
A hawk is hovering in the sky;
To stay at home is best.
—[Longfellow.

SNUBBING.

The Art Ably Diagnosed by an Evidently Capable Critic.

[From the Queen.]

Everyone can be rude, forbidding, insolent and snubbing; but to only the studious and gifted few is it given to wound a friend's self-love with so light a touch and so fine a point as to be almost imperceptible at the moment—the only thing certain in the matter being the wound, which remains.

It takes no artistry to contradict flatly, to sneer openly, to put down an interlocutor as a fool who may or may not know his own folly. This is the bludgeon style of warfare, the savage's method of braining his foe and of cooking his food in the ashes of the fire.

The art consists in the grace with which the weapon is used; the lightness of hand with which the thrust is made, the smallness of the visible aperture and the depth of the corresponding wound. The man or woman who has attained perfection in these methods has ever in possession one of the most deathly of all those poisonous needles, the scratch of which festers to the death, while invisible to all eyes but the sufferer's.

You have lately learned a quite new fact, whether in the physical sciences or in historical criticism it does not signify; but it is new, has not yet been published, and your authority is incontestable. You are in the presence of a snubber when you bring out your lately acquired treasures, and make a present of it all around.

"That all? I knew that long ago," says the snubber, who has never heard the question discussed.

"That is no such wonderful thing to tell. If, now, you had told us of the elemental principle of life—or who was the man in the iron mask—if you could explain why a tree grows and who was Junius—you would be worth listening to. But this—this is not worth the time it takes to tell!"

And as all persons, save the exceptionally kind-hearted and the exceptionally generous-minded, like the sport of snubbing as much as fox hunters like cub hunting, you are at once set down, amid a shower of small sneers, as a mere retailer of second-hand goods—as one who tries to pass off old lamps for new, who offers stale facts, "which every school-boy knows," as the latest discoveries made by the great leaders in the world of mind—all to get for yourself the kudos which belongs to the chosen vessel of communication.

Sometimes you are snubbed by a dead blank silence. You have said something for which it is desirable you should be put down. So you are put down by the crushing force of negative disdain. What you have said is not worth the trouble even of a reply, still less of contradiction.

We do not answer the cat when she mews, nor think it always necessary to convince our Polly that crying "Go to bed Jack!" at noon is a futile exhortation. You rank no higher than the cat or the parrot, and what you have just said bears no more weight than the mew of the one, the prate of the other. And as you can not talk with no one to listen and no one to reply, the snub does its work, and you are wounded as it was meant you should be.

And sometimes you are snubbed by direct and uncompromising contradiction. It may be very nicely put if your enemy be well-bred, or it will be brutally and rudely flung in your face if he or she be ill-mannered. Whether nicely put or rudely flung, you are contradicted all the same—beaten back by the surging waves which sweep your own strand bare, but bring no substitute for that which they take away.

Cousin-german to the snub of silence is that of ostentatiously changing the conversation. You are assumed to have flourished a red flag in the face of your companions, and good breeding rebukes you to a sudden diversion and wheeling round away from your post, so that your aggressive flag shall not be seen. You really are too impracticable, they seem to say. There is no modus vivendi possible with you; you have never learned to run curricle, nor to fall into step; and the only way to treat you is to change front rapidly and leave you planted in your isolation. They must prove to you that they are not with you, though they are too kind and well bred to say so openly. Hence they snub you with a courteous smile, as their sole reply to what you have said, and immediately open another topic of conversation, miles away from that which you had begun.

The Sin of Fretting.

(Helen Hunt.)

There is one sin which it seems to me is everywhere and by everybody underestimated, and quite too much overlooked in our valuations of character. It is the sin of fretting. It is as common as air, as speech; so common that unless it rises above its usual monotone we do not even observe it.

Watch any ordinary coming together of people, and see how many minutes it will be before anybody frets—that is, makes a more or less complaining statement of something or other, which most probably, every one in the room, or the stage, or the car, or the street corner, as it may be, knew before, and which most probably no one can help.

Why say anything about it? It is cold, it is hot, it is wet, it is dry; somebody has broken an appointment, ill-cooked a meal; stupidity or bad faith somewhere has resulted in discomfort.

There are always plenty of things to fret about. It is simply astonishing how much annoyance and discomfort may be found in the course of every day's living, even at the simplest, if one only keep's a sharp eye out on that side of things. Even Holy Writ says we are born to trouble as sparks fly upward. But even to the sparks flying upward, in the blackest of smoke, there is a blue sky above, and the less time they waste on the road the sooner they will reach it. Fretting is all time wasted on the road.

Needs Immediate Attention.

[Chicago News.]

According to the testimony of druggists in this city, the demon intemperance is now looking up its victims among the gentler and softer sex; and when that is the case it is a sign of moral obliquity and of mental and physical decay which should alarm every lover of his kind. If no other means can be found, we believe it will, sooner or later, be necessary to invoke the strong arm of the law for the salvation of the public, especially of the rising generation thereof, from the effects of this curse of the human race.

An Anecdote of Wood.

[New York Sun.]

After this the veteran legislators made a sort of a pet of the young representative. At the close of his fiscal speech John Quincy Adams grasped him by the hand and said:

"Young man, when I am gone you will be one of the foremost men of this country." Henry Clay took a fancy to him, and never lost an opportunity of paying him personal attention. One day, while Clay was walking with him, they passed a shop where men were manufacturing cigars. Clay expressed surprise at the dexterity of the workmen, and said that it must require years of experience to do the work with such apparent ease.

"Oh, no," Mr. Wood replied, "they merely cut off a piece of the tobacco, roll some of the dry part in their hands, then wrap it up, and the whole thing is done. Any person can make a cigar."

"If you think so," said Clay, "perhaps you had better try."

The young congressman sat down, took a knife and a leaf of tobacco, and, with a dextrous cut, prepared his wrapper. He then broke the filling to the proper size, rolled it all up together, twisted the small symmetrical pigtail at the end, cut off the top, and handed the well-made cigar to the Kentucky senator.

Clay was amazed. Wood had become a skillful cigar maker during the cholera season, while in the tobacco trade. The shop keeper stared with wonder at this new congressional accomplishment. The joke ran the rounds of congress, and was frequently told at Clay's expense.

The American Girl Abroad.

Here is a pen-and-ink sketch of an American girl, which is interesting as showing how a Yankee girl appears to French eyes: "Stylish to the backbone. Independent as independent can be, but very pure. Is devoted to pleasure, dress, spending money, shows her moral nature nude, just as it is, so as to deceive nobody.

Flirts all winter with this or that one, and dismisses him in the spring, when she instantly catches another. Goes out alone, travels alone. When the fancy catches her she travels with a gentleman friend, or walks anywhere with him; puts boundless confidence in him; conjugal intimacy seems to exist between them, she lets him tell what he feels—talks of love from morning till night; but she never gives him permission to kiss so much as her hand.

He may say anything—he shall do nothing. She is restless; she gives heart and soul to amusement before she marries. After marriage she is a mother annually; is alone all day; hears all night nothing except discussions about patent machinery, unexplosive petroleum, and chemical manures. She will then let her daughters enjoy the privileges she used without grave abuse.

As nothing serious happened to her, why should Fanny, Mary, Jenny, be less strong and adroit than their mother? She originates French fashions. Parisian women detest her. Provincial women despise her. Men of all countries adore her, but will not marry her, unless she has an immense fortune.

Her hair is vermillion, paler than golden hair; her black eyes are bold and frank; she has a patent shape which it is forbidden to counterfeit; she spreads herself in a carriage as if she were in a hammock—the natural and thoughtless posture of her passion for luxurious ease.

When she walks, she moves briskly, and throws every glance right and left; gives many of her thoughts to herself, and few of them to anybody else. She is a wild plant put in a hot-house."

A Kiss on the Sly.

[Philadelphia Times.]

There is to be found much refreshment in a well-proportioned kiss. This much everybody acknowledges, though only a frank few have the courage to acknowledge it openly. And it is a curious fact, as yet unexplained by the philosopher, that the slyer the kiss is the more there is in it of refreshment.

A kiss that is paid as a forfeit before a whole room full of people is prosaic, not to say embarrassing. The girl laughs, which spoils the romance, and the fellow, ten to one, blushes. Neither of them think much of it, and they both are apt pretty soon to forget all about it.

But let the same fellow kiss the same girl when nobody is looking—and the situation is as different as possible. That sort of a kiss, fired off in a hurry behind a door or in a conservatory, is like an electric shock and is as sweet as whipped cream. The taste of it sort of holds on and constantly suggests the propriety—or impropriety, as the case may be—of trying it again. And the laughing and blushing are exactly reversed. The fellow laughs, without spoiling the romance a bit, and the girl blushes like a pink carnation.

It is queer that the very same thing should, under such slightly altered circumstances, be so entirely different, nor is it any the less queer because the difference has existed from the earliest ages of the world.

Kissing on the sly was the rule among the prehistoric races, just as it is the rule now. This proposition is demonstrable by comparative proof. That eminent French savant, M. Elie Berthet, has shown that all the peculiarities of primitive man are represented in the savage races extant to-day.

In his exhaustive work upon the "Aboriginal Races of America" Dr. Bancroft indirectly affirms that kissing on the sly is the rule and the converse is the exception among our barbarous brethren; and the same is true of those scientifically interesting people, the Australian Maories. From these facts we may reasonably infer that our remote ancestors, the troglodytes, did their sparking in much the same way that sparking is done nowadays—unobtrusively, and with a good deal of quiet satisfaction. And it is doing them nothing more than justice to add that their heads were what is vulgarly termed "level."

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One stationary 12 horse power engine, and a 20 horse power boiler, complete and in good running order.
m7d&w1-mo. H. M. WHITMER

Top off with a Bit of Pie.

What a peculiar American custom, and one which, together with hot cakes and excess of butter, lay the foundation for first-class cases of dyspepsia. Better use Burdock Blood Bitters. Price, $1.00, trial size 10 cents. d&w

Vaulting Ambition.

An ambition to excel others in gymnastic feats of strength, etc., often leads to sprains, bruises, dislocations, etc., and you may try hundreds of remedies advertised in the papers as heal alls, but cannot find anything that will heal or cure so quickly as Thomas' Eclectric Oil. d&w

Not in the Calendar.

If any man deserved to be canonized, Dr. Thomas is the man. His Eclectric Oil has become an invaluable family requisite. Its cures of rheumatism, neuralgia, bronchitis, diphtheria, are simply miraculous. d&w

Great Attraction.

The most popular thing on East Main street, and most talked of is the beautiful display of millinery goods in the elegant show window of Bear & Einstein. April-15tf

In Good Spirits.

T. Walker, Cleveland, Ohio, writes: "For the last twelve months I have suffered with lumbago and general debility. I commenced taking Burdock Blood Bitters about six weeks ago, and now have great pleasure in stating that I have recovered my appetite, my complexion has grown ruddy, and feel better altogether." d&w1w

Fresh Ice Cream at the Union House Every Day.

Orders for ice cream by the small or large quantity will be promptly filled every day at the Union house. may13dtf.

For the Spring Trade

C. B. Prescott has purchased in New York, a fine stock of the celebrated Haines Bros., Kranick & Bach and Decker pianos for the spring trade. Call and see them.
April 23d&wt-f.

Look Here.

Ashby & Andress have still on hand ratan chairs, camp chairs, parlor sets, pier glasses, and a lot of superior cooking stoves, all of which are to be closed out at cost, to make room for the goods they are manufacturing. It will pay you to call and see them. f15d&wtf.

Shirts.

For a neat fitting, stylish shirt go to the Decatur shirt factory, No. 12, East Main street. From 50 to 75 cents can be saved on each shirt by ordering them here. Call and examine, and be convinced. Latest styles of penangs, cheviot and other shirtings on hand. apr19d&w1m.

Notice.

Peter Perl, the undertaker, has removed his residence from west wood street to the building two doors south of May's grocery store on South Main street. Calls by night or day will receive prompt attention. Mr. Perl has recently purchased this property and will improve it for his permanent home.

Harness! Harness!!

At the Boss shop, opposite the City Park. John W. Tyler has employed A. D. Throwbridge, one of the finest workmen in the state, and is now sending out some of the finest work ever done in the city—everything made by hand and with the best material. A full line of horse goods at the lowest figures. Don't forget the place. All work warranted to give perfect satisfaction. a27d&w1m

Copartnership Notice.

The undersigned have this day formed a partnership in the painting calcimining and paper hanging business under the firm name of CUSSINS & KRIGBAUN, and will be pleased to receive a share of public patronage. Shop on Church street between Main and William. EUGENE CUSSINS.
S. K. KRIGBAUN.
Decatur, Ill, April 23. 1881. dtf.

Look-a-Here.

Ed Houston has still left and will still furnish goods that cannot be discounted in Central Illinois. He sells new beds at $3, chairs at $3, tables and bed room sets that defy competition. Stoves, tin and queensware at wholesale prices. Call and see him before purchasing elsewhere, and get prices. E. HOUSTON,
24 Franklin st., Decatur, Ill.
may11d&wtf

COLOMA, Mich., Nov. 4th, 1880.
Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Accept thanks for circulars which help us considerably. We are selling a large amount of your Kendall's Spavin Cure which gives great satisfaction. We are authorized to say for Mr. A H. Sutton, a farmer near here: "I have used six bottles of Kendall's Spavin Cure and cured as many spavins (well marked) on different horses, I considered it a remedy never equalled for spavins or ring-bones." Yours truly, RYNO & GILSON.
d&w

Farm Wagons—Spring Wagon.

Of the most thorough workmanship with all the latest improvements may be had at the wagon shop of D. F. Hamsher on Wood street, near South Main. Wagons made to order and all kinds of repairing done on short notice. Mr. H. invites a careful examination of his work and prices. May-10 wtf.

Medical.

A Preparation of IRON and CALISAYA BARK, in combination with the Phosphates.

Endorsed by the Medical Profession, and recommended by them for Dyspepsia, General Debility, Female Diseases, Want of Vitality, &c.

DR. HARTER'S IRON TONIC

W. P. HILL, *Crockett Station, Tenn.*, writes: "DR. HARTER'S IRON TONIC has done wonders here. A lady who had been doctored nearly to death for several years, has been cured of *Debility* and *Great Prostration* by the use of DR. HARTER'S IRON TONIC, which raised her from her bed, where she had been lying for many months."

Dr. Harter:—Mr. James Brown of our county, has requested us to tender you his grateful acknowledgments for the great benefits his wife received from the use of your IRON TONIC. He tells us that, after having paid three or four hundred dollars doctors' bills, two bottles of your IRON TONIC did her more good than all other medicines she ever used. She was troubled with *Derangement of the Blood, Whites, etc.*, from which she is much relieved.
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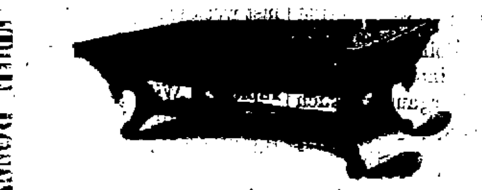
Of Desirable Styles

We have an immense stock of desirable styles, bought at prices that will enable us to sell to any other dealers in Central Illinois for the same that they pay the manufacturers in the East. It is therefore plain to any thinking person that we have great advantage over competitors. We ask the public generally to call on us, see our styles and quality of goods, hear our price, and be convinced. 4750 rolls of paper slightly damaged, we offer at a great sacrifice. apr16tf

Billiards.

COLLENDER TABLES.

THE BOSS



ANDREWS.

Lovers of billiards will find the accommodations at my hall first-class in every respect; and equal to those of the large cities. Six first-class Collender tables. Parlors at the southeast corner of the public square. Wines, liquors and cigars on sale at the bar. july29tf

NOTICE!

WONDERFUL CURE

READ PROOF OF WONDERFUL CURES.

FREMONT, OHIO, Jan. 25, 1881.
Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents—I think it my duty to render you my thanks for benefits and profits which I have derived from your invaluable and far famed Spavin Cure. My cousin and I had a valuable stallion worth $4000 which had a very bad spavin, and was pronounced by four eminent Veterinary Surgeons beyond any cure, and that the horse was done for ever. As a last resort I advised my cousin to try a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure. It had a magical effect, the third bottle cured it, and the horse is as well as ever. Dr. Dick, of Edinburg, the eminent veterinary surgeon, was an uncle of mine, and I take great interest in assisting his profession.
Yours truly,
JAMES A. WILSON,
Civil Engineer.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

WILTON, MINN., January 11, '81.
B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents—Having got a horse book of you by mail a year ago, the contents of which persuaded me to try Kendall's Spavin Cure on the hind leg of one of my horses which was badly swollen, and could not be reduced by any other remedy. I got two bottles of Kendall's Spavin Cure of Preston & Ludduth, druggists of Waseca, which completely cured my horse. About five years ago I had a three year old colt sweenied very bad. I used your remedy as given in your book without rowelling, and I must say to your credit, that the colt is entirely cured, which is a surprise not only to myself, but also to my neighbors. You sent me the book for the trifling sum of twenty-five cents, and if I could not get another like it, I would not take twenty-five dollars for it.
Yours truly,
GEO. MATHEWS.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

WINTHROP, IOWA, Nov. 23, '80
Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents—Enclosed please find 25 cents for your treatis on the horse and his diseases. I have been using Kendall's Spavin Cure on one of my horses for bone spavin. One bottle entirely cured the lameness and removed most all of the bunch. Yours respectfully,
LEROY M. GRAYHAM.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE ON HUMAN FLESH.

West Enosburgh, Vt., Feb. 15th, 1881
DR. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Several months ago I injured my knee joint which caused an enlargment to grow the size of a large walnut and caused me very severe pain all the time for four or five weeks, when I began to use Kendall's Spavin Cure with the most satisfactory results. It has completely removed the enlargment and stopped the lameness and pain. I have long known it to be excellent for horses but now I know it to be the best liniment for human flesh that I am acquainted with.
Yours truly,
T. P. Lawrence.

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is sure in its effects, mild in its action as it doesnot blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargments, such as spavens, splints, curbs, callous sprains swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man and for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used; acting mildly and yet certain in its effects. Send address for Illustrated Circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1. per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All Druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

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The best internal and external remedy in the world. Every bottle guaranteed.
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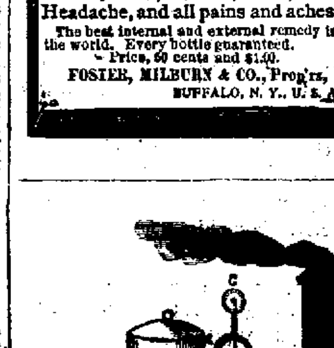

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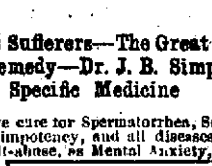
It is a positive cure for Spermatorrhea, Seminal Weakness, impotency, and all diseases resulting from self-abuse, as Mental Anxiety, loss of memory, Pains in Back or Side, and diseases that lead to Consumption Insanity and an early grave. The specific medicine is being used with wonderful success.



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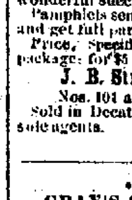

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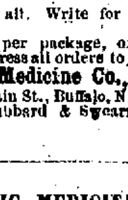

BEFORE TAKING. AFTER TAKING.

Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all druggists at one dollar per package, or six packages for five dollars or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money, by addressing
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Sold in Decatur by Henry Smith

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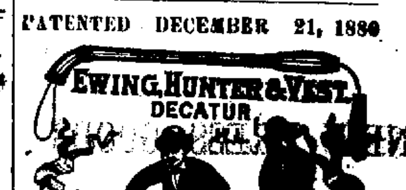

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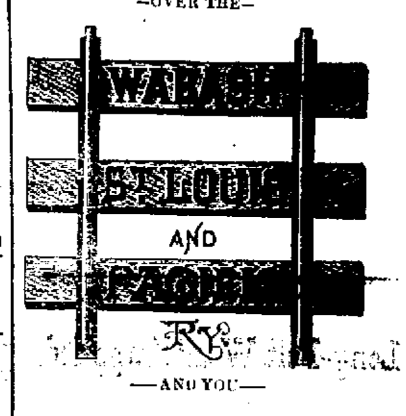

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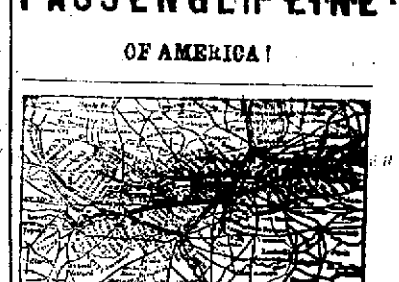

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MAIN LINE

WEST.	Daily	Arrive.	Depart.
Pacific Ex	Ex Sun	8:30 p. m.	3:40 p. m.
Fast Line		4:35 a. m.	4:50 a. m.
Through Ex	Ex Sun	7:5 p. m.	7:40 p. m.
Accommodation	Ex Sun		6:10 a. m.
EAST			
Through Ex	Ex Sun	6:5 a. m.	7:05 a. m.
Atlantic Ex	" "	11:40 a. m.	12:00 [illegible]
Lightning Ex		10:30 p. m.	10:55 p. m.
Jacks'v. & Bemt. Ac	Ex Sun	7:00 p. m.	
St. LOUIS BRANCH.			
Lightning Ex	Ex Sun	10:40 p. m.	
Atlantic Ex	Ex Sun	11:[illegible] a. m.	
Chicago Ex	Ex Mon	12:15 a. m.	
Accommodation		9:15 p. m.	
St Louis Ex			3:55 a. m.
Pacific Ex	Ex Sun		3:5 p. m.
Fast Line			1:05 a. m.
Accommodation			6:00 a. m.
CHICAGO DIVISION.			
Chicago Ex	Ex Mon		10:35 a. m.
Through Ex	Ex Sun		
Chicago Mail	Ex Sun		7:15 a. m.
St Louis Ex	Ex Mon	3:14 a. m.	12:15 p. m.
St Louis Mail	Ex Sun	3:35 p. m.	
Through Ex	" "	7:10 p. m.	
CHAMPAIGN DIVISION			
Decatur		10.40 a. m.	2:00 p. m.

Freight trains, going east, carry passengers with tickets as follows:—4:20 a. m., [illegible] 7.10 p. m. Going west, 1:45 p. m., [illegible] Going west on St. Louis Branch, [illegible] arrives at 5:30 p. m.

FOR MAPS, TIME TABLES, or any information, call on or address
J. C. GAULT, Gen. Manager,
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ILLINOIS MIDLAND RAILWAY

On and after Monday, Feb. 14th trains will arrive and leave as follows:—

GOING SOUTHEAST.
Mail and Express.....11:25 p m
Way Frieght.....7:00 a m
Through Freight.....1.40 p m

GOING NORTHWEST.
Mail and Express.....[illegible]
Way Freight.....[illegible]
Through Freight.....[illegible]
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Take this line for the East and all points North and South on the Chicago and Paducah Railway, Illinois Central (Chicago Division), Paris and Danville R'y, E. TH. & C. R'y, and I. & St. L. R'y. Close connections made at all junction stations; and through tickets on sale at the ticket office, Decatur, Ill.

CONDENSED TIME CARD.
Eastward Bound Trains.
Mail and day express.....12:15 p. m.
Night express, daily.....11 00 p. m.
Decatur accommodation.....[illegible]
Mixed and stock train.....5:20 p. m.

Westward Bound Trains.
Through freight and mixed train.....[illegible]
Decatur accommodation.....[illegible]
Night express daily.....[illegible]
Mail and day express.....[illegible]

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THE MARKETS.

The following are the closing quotations of Chicago prices, as reported at the Board of Trade in Central Block.

	June.	July.	Aug.	
Wheat	1 03½	1 05½	1 04½	
Corn	41½	41½	43½	98
Oats	35½	35½	27½	
Lard	10 02	10 06	10 65	
Pork	15 55	16 50	16 55	
Toledo Wheat	1 11½	1 03½	1 04½	
Corn				

If you can't take our word for it, ask some friend what he knows about Trask's Magnetic Ointment for sores, bruises, and inflammation.

Bank of Toronto.

Mr. J. Marsh, Bank of Toronto, Ont., writes: "Billiousness and dyspepsia seem to have grown up with me; having been a sufferer for years, I have tried many remedies, but with no lasting result until I used your Burdock Blood Bitters. They have been truly a blessing to me, and I cannot speak too highly of them." d&w1w

A Card.

I have an assortment of gas fixtures, chandeliers, store pendents, brackets and globes which I will sell cost price to close out the stock.
d&w. H. MUELLER.

Fashionable novelties at the LOWEST prices at CLARK's. Store, sign of the BEAR. wm10-2w

The best is the cheapest, therefore when you buy powder buy the American "dead-shot" at

KOSSMEYER & O'NEILL's.

Two doors east of the post office

Go to Dr. Cormans to have your natural teeth saved. *Gold* fillings $2. all other fillings $1. all work warrented sign of golden tooth.
May 4d&w2w

DECATUR REVIEW.

WEDNESDAY, - - MAY 18, 1881

THE CITY.

Frost reported yesterday morning.

Delightful weather since Sunday

Edgar Ewing has a fine team of bays.

Fisk Jubilee Singers to-morrow night.

Have you all got your tickets for the Jubilee singers to-morrow night.

The largest line of croquet in the city for sale at A. J. Wallace & Co.'s book store. 12d&w1w

Pilsen's Bohemian imported Lager beer on draught to-day at Philip Reibsamans.

The high school graduates are giving their essays their last touches preparatory to commencement. There are 18 essayists.

The best new hammocks in the city for sale at A. J. Wallace & Co.'s book store. 12d&w1w

Tuesday morning brought an atmosphere that disposed people to gather about the fire, and keep their coats on.

E. B Pratt will buy Horses until about May 18, when the spring season will close. m,11d&w1w

Everything in the *music* line can be found at C. B. Prescott's city music store.

Those who are building new houses should bear in mind that Abel & Locke are prepared to finish up their inside walls in the finest styles of the decorative art. Modern art paper hanging in all of the latest patterns. m14d3t

A fine line of fancy baskets, among which are sailor lunch, and French market, at the 99 cent store. m15d

C. B. Prescott is doing the *music business* of Central Illinois. His superior pianos and organs at such low prices tell the story. m18d2w1

The cases in Justice Curtis' court yesterday afternoon seemed to be very attractive, crowding the court room to its full capacity.

Ered Smith is getting well through with the little job of saying how wealthy the people of Decatur are. Fred has got the roads and ropes so well learned that he can go over the ground rapidly as compared with what a stranger could do.

We have a hadsome line of children's lace caps in all styles very cheap at Bear & Einsteins.
April-15tf

The best New Davis sewing machines can be had at the book store of A. J. Wallace & Co.'s for $10 less than agents prices. Call and see before buying. 15d&w1w

Dr. Douglas, a former resident and druggist of Decatur, came in from his home, Bement, yesterday afternoon, accompanied by his wife and child. He reports business good at his place.

Ed. Dentz has just received a new and elegant line of suiting, and is now prepared to give the nicest fits in the city. Give him a call.
d&w1w

First class new organs for sale at cost to close out stock at the book store of A. J. Wallace & Co. $30 to $50 saved by buying of them.
12d&w1w

The work of tearing down the Fenton building, preparatory to re-building it in the same place, on North Water street, has been finished, the old brick piled up, the rubbish removed, and the side walk again made clear and passable for pedestrians.

H. Post & Co., call attention to the fact that in connection with the jewelry business they have added a stock of first-class pianos, organs and other musical instruments. They invite the inspection of persons desiring a good piano or organ at a fair price and on reasonable terms. Remember that only goods that will bear the test will be handled by them; goods that bear national reputation for excellence of tone and durability. mar12d&w

Determined not to be out done Bear & Einstein have secured the services of a first class milliner from the east at large expense, who can turn out work in the millinery line in all respects equal to New York, Boston or Philadelphia work. Don't forget the place—South side of Main street, second door west from Water.
April 15tf

J. C. Penniwell has removed his marble works from east Main street to the old Revere house site on the east side of the city park, where he is prepared to do first class work in his line. He invites attention to samples of his work already finished and to work in progress. Persons needing work in marble or granite will do well to give Mr. Penniwell a call. apr20d&wtf.

If you wish to get a set of the best; most beautiful; best fitting artificial teeth made in the city and *as cheap as the cheapest* go to Dr. Cormans dental rooms. Remember his work is all warrented at SIGN OF GOLDEN TOOTH. May4d&w2w

Farmers who came to town on Tuesday made very brief stops, feeling probably that affairs at home required their constant attention.

Don't forget the strawberry festival, to be given by the ladies of the Baptist church, on Friday evening of this week, at the tabernacle.

Don't forget the strawberry festival to be given by the ladies of the Baptist church and congregation at the tabernacle on Friday evening.

Mrs. Wm. P. Hunter received a telegram yesterday morning announcing the dangerous illness of her sister at Troy, Ill. She started for that place yesterday afternoon.

The old square concerts seem to be petering out. Last evening they folded their canvas before 9 o'clock, and retired to the shades of private life.

The legal mill turned out several grists yesterday, and will continue its grinding operations to day. Judge Smith turns off business at a lively rate.

Let everybody admire the improvements now in progress on the Old Square. The like has never been seen, probably, in the line of improvement in any town.

Domenick and Gaitam Montani, two Italian boys from Indianapolis, struck Decatur last evening with a harp and violin, and will probably "do" the town for the next few days.

The high school anniversary exercises loom up in the near future, and the members of the graduating class are deeply anxious as they contemplate the parts they are to take in the affair.

Corn planted in the early part of last week is beginning to show itself, and a few days of warm sunlight now will bring it forward very rapidly. With good weather corn planting will be nearly completed in this county the present week.

To morrow evening the Jubilee singers are to favor Decatur people with their charming melodies. Of their singing in Boston Mass., the *Herald* of that city says:

There is no chance for adverse criticism upon their singing.

The Peoples docket will be reached on Monday next. The common law and chancery dockets cannot be disposed of by that time, so that some cases on those dockets will have to receive attention after the criminal docket has been disposed of.

A couple of fellows with weak knees and tongues that wagged heavily, got into a dispute yesterday on North Water street, and the only thing that prevented a fight was the fact that they could not understand each other.

Mary Williams complained to Justice Curtis that Louis Farner is the father of her child, and swore out a warrant for Louis' arrest. The case came before Justise Curtis on Tuesday for a hearing, but as parties were not ready, it was continued to Friday of this week, with Louis under bonds in the sum of $500.

Boyd Braden & Co. have sold over one hundred of their celebrated washing machines in Decatur and vicinity during the past thirty days. Everybody using these machines is loud in their praise, and say they do all that is claimed for them—in fact would not be deprived of their use for double their cost. m18d2tw1t

Workmen were busy yesterday carting mud upon the old square, but whether this mud is to be covered with gravel, or left to mingle with that already on the ground remains to be seen. One would suppose that the mud already on the old square is deep enough for all practical purposes in the time of a good rain.

Mr. R. Deming, of Lincoln, is to be the new landlord at the Priest Hotel. He has taken a lease upon the property and will take possession and open the house to the public as soon as the repairs are completed, perhaps about the 10th of June. Mr. Deming is now in the city perfecting arrangements for his removal hither. Colonol Wiggins, of the Leland Hotel, at Springfield, and Mr. D. Humbolt, of Lincoln, formerly of the Revere House, in this city, are here overseeing the inventory of the furniture and fixtures.

Strawberry Festival.

The Ladies of Decatur Council No. 12 R. T. of T. will give an Ice Cream and Strawberry Sociable at Good Templars Hall on Thursday evening May 19. Admission free. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

A Religious Request.

It is sincerely desired and kindly requested that all christian people in the city, in their church service on Wednesday evening, or at their homes, or elsewhere, offer up unto God devout prayer for the *revival* of religion in our city and the salvation of sinners. JNO. V. POTTS,
Pastor and Missionary.

CIRCUIT COURT.

May Term.

SEVENTH DAY.

DECATUR, May 17, 1881.

Court convened at 8½ o'clock Judge Smith presiding. The following cases received attention:

CHANCERY DOCKET.

John M. Henson vs. Sarah Henson et. al.; partition. Report of sale approved.

Nicholas L. Prather et. al. vs. Nancy E. Neat et al.; chancery; decree pro confesso vs. adults. Referred to master.

William Rhegenness vs. Mary Rhegenness Divorce; decree pro confesso.

Fannie Allsman vs. Eratus Allsman. Divorce; decree pro confesso.

Samuel W. Gillespie et. al.; vs. Jacob Malson et. al.; chancery. Decree pro confesso vs. adults. Referred to master. Joseph Cobb et. al. vs. William M. Cobb et. al.; partition. Rule on defendants to answer amended bill by to morrow.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.

John J. Frank by his next friend Catharine Funk, vs. the P. D. & E. railway company; trespass. Leave to amend declaration.

In the case of Michael Duggan vs. Amandus Hill Trial by jury on Monday. Verdict; issues for defendant.

People for use of Ichabod Baldwin administrator vs. Jesse Lockhart; debt; leave to file one additional plea.

Emanuel B. Deardorf by his next friend vs W. St. L. & P. railway company, trespass. Leave to file several replications.

Jacob Deardorf vs. same; same order as above.

Josephine Goodmiller vs. Frank Shephard; dismissed as per agreement on file

James H. Williams vs. Francis B. Turrer et. al. Assumpsit; F. B. Turner defaulted, and court assessed $243.21.

James H. Durfee vs Frederick Aholtz; ejectment. Demurer to 2d, 3d and 4th pleas. Demurer sustained and leave given to amend by Wednesday morning

Laura S. Allen vs. City of Decatur; trespass, continued by agreement.

Mary Dean vs. the county of Macon; assumpsit. Rule to justify extended to Wednesday morning.

Martin P. Murphy vs. John W. Barton and Robert Timmons; sci fa. Timmons defaulted and judgment revived as to him.

Bridget Sheehan vs. John McEvoy; appeal. Trial by jury. Verdict for plaintiff, $20.

Indicted for Murder

The grand jury have returned an indictment for murder against ex-policeman Johnson who dealt a blow upon the head of the man Carson when trying to arrest him on the levee last winter, from which Carson died in a short time It will be remembered that Johnson went into a saloon where carson was drunk and noisy for the purpose of arresting him, and when he laid his hand upon him, Johnson slipped his hand into his own hip pocket as if to draw a pistol. Some one present "said look out for the pop" when Johnson drew his club and struck Carson on the head knocking him senseless, and the injured man died from the effect of the blow within a few hours. Johnson was arrested at the time and held to bail in the sum of $5,000 and he has been in jail ever since.

Held to Bail.

Lizzie Vincent swore out a warrant against Sally Six on Monday, charging her with having stolen from her two rings. The case was heard by Justice Curtis on Tuesday, who held defendant to bail in the sum of fifty dollars. Satisfactory bail was furnished and accused was allowed to go at large.

Postponed.

The REVIEW is authorized by States Attorney Johns to say that the criminal docket which was to receive attention on Monday the 23d, has been postponed one week, so that now all parties interested and witnesses in criminal cases need not put in an appearance until the time named.

Strawberry Festival.

The ladies of the Baptist church have changed the time for holding their festival to Friday evening May 20th. It is to come off at the tabernacle, and the large and airy room should be filled. The ladies of this congregation always get up affairs of this kind in fine style, and this will not be an exception.

For Sale

At Wingate's Decatur Lamp Store, summer cooking stoves that never get out of order. On this we challenge the world. m14 dtf

Re-opened.

Andy Rothfuss will this morning re open his saloon, on the southeast corner of the old square. Andy has not been in business for the past year but now asks to see his old friends at the old stand. d1t

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Frank Priest will spend the summer in the east.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Sackett of Illini were in the city yesterday.

Dr. J. L. Connelly, of Harristown, took in Decatur on Tuesday of this week.

Ed. Funk and Dr. Demsey of Warrensburg, were seen on our streets yesterday.

Mr. B. Burroughs, of Clinton, was among the late arrivals at the Saint Nicholas last night.

Mr. George Peake left for Hot Springs, Ark., yesterday afternoon. He expects to remain there several months.

Mr. Cleveland, a friend of Mr. Deming, the forthcoming proprietor of the Priest House, is accompanying him on his present trip to Decatur.

E. A. Tinkham, agent for Coup's circus and hippodrome, arrived in the city last evening. His show will positively be here on the 17th of June.

E. M. Gouthold and Joseph E. Seder, of the Barlow, Wilson, Primrose & West Minstrel company, are registered at the St. Nicholas. Their renowned troupe will perform here on the 24th inst.

The face of Jessie Lockhart of Niantic was familiar in town yesterday, though it had not been seen here before for sometime Jessie thinks he has got a good thing in his invention, it being a continuous rail to be used in laying railroad track.

Mr. Funk who had a stroke of paralysis sometime since was on the street yesterday His sickness has gone hard with him judging from his looks. He is decidedly thin in flesh and his face colorless. Probably air and exercise will have a tendency to improve his condition.

Mr. Thomas Andrews, of Decatur, a constituent of representative B. K. Durfee, innocently supposing the general assembly was in session, came down last evening, charged with divers and sundry memorials and remonstrances. To Mr. Andrews' surprise, Mr. Representative Durfee was out of his seat.—*Springfield Monitor*, 17th.

Cornell University Declining.

(New York Times.)

Progress has been backward, not forward. Ten years ago the university catalogue called for 609 students, and the second class that entered as Freshmen numbered 300 men. To-day the total number of students is only 399, of whom 14 are resident graduates and 60 are ladies, while the Freshman class numbers only 124. There were no resident graduates ten years ago, and no lady students, so that comparatively we have only 325 students now, as against 609 in 1870-71, or a little more than one-half as many. Tuition here for a four years' course in any department is only $300, or $25 per term, while from each Assembly district in this state one student each year has the right to attend free of all tuition. About 100 students of the 399 are of this latter class. Of Assembly districts there are 128 in the state, and if they all sent one student each year there would be 512 state students at Cornell, instead of 100—more by 113 than the total number of students.

New Restaurant.

I have opened a new restaurant at No 18 south side of the city park, and am prepared to serve good meals at any hour of the day. Will give reduced rates to regular day boarders. Members, of the different granges in the county, and the public generally are invited to give me a call. LYDIA MAGAW.
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Not so Bad.

Boston Post

It is understood that Conkling characterizes Schurtz as "professional foreigner." And yet this is not as bad as being a pretentious American.

New Carpets.

Abel & Locke are now receiving large lots of new carpets in all the various new styles. For something fine, nice, and cheap in the way of rugs, mats, oil cloths, or anything in the carpet line, don't forget that Abel & Locke's is the place to go.
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Millinery Just Received.

All the latest styles in summer millinery just received at Miss M. Falconer's. Hats in desireable shapes for 25 cents. m16 d6t

Hair work done to order at millinery and hair store of Miss Emma Williams on Prairie street second door from Water. d&w2m

Thousands have used Kendall's Spavin Cure for rheumatism after all other remedies had failed and have experienced instant relief See the advertisement. d&w1w

Ladies *straw hats* 25 cts at Clerk's, sign of the BEAR, Merchant street.
m10-2w

Campaign is over and those who were up in arms against each other in the political tussle now join hands and march to the druggists for a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure, See advt. d&w

Oh say! young man if you want to take your girl for a ride, and can't on account of the lameness of your horse, you should procure a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure at once, fo nothing is better for man or beast. See advt d&w.

LADIES TAKE NOTICE.

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The best style of slippers at J. W. Baker's

You Ought to examine shoes at J. W. Baker's.

Stylish, comfortable and durable slippers at J. W. Baker's.
You will admire those comfortable slippers at J. W. Baker's.

ATTENTION YOUNG MEN!

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You can find a larger assortment of fine shoes at J. W. Baker's than at any other place in the city.

He makes a SPECIYLTA of mee's fin shoen,s

J. W. BAKER.

NO. 18 EAST MAIN ST : : : : POWERS' OLD STAND

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WE ARE CONSTANTLY RECEIVING FRESH INVOICES IN NEW AND BEAUTIFUL DESIGNS IN BANGLES BANGLE BRACELETS NOVELTIES IN JEWELRY, LADIES AND GENTS GOLD WATCHES IN GREAT VARIETY IN FACT WE ARE SHOWING THE BEST ASSORTED STOCK IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS. EVERYTHING DESIRABLE IN FINE AND MEDIUM QUALITY GOODS. AT

LOWER PRICES THAN ARE OFFERED BY OTHER HOUSES.

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W. R. ABBOTT & CO.,

The Old Reliable Jewelers,

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ZEPHYR SHAWLS,

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Hosiery, Gloves, Parasols,

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Men's Shirts and Underwear,

—AND—

Ladies Muslin Underwear.

25 per cent. Guaranteed saved on all Goods purchased at Our House.

CHEAP STORE.

a27 Sign of the BIG 18, Merchant St.

Grandmother

Used to say "Boys, if your blood is out of order try Burdock tea," and then they had to boil it down in kettles, making a nasty, smelling decoction, now you get all the curative properties put up in a palatable form in Burdock Blood Bitters Price $1.00, trial size 10 cents

When you have got an old horse that has passed the market period apply a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and the result will be marvelous. Read the advertisement d&w1w

Hanchett & Carter, proprietors of the great 12th St. Livery, Chicago, Ill, in a letter dated Dec 5th 1879 speak thus of Kendall's Spavin Cure It is several years since we bought the first of you and we do not hesitate to say it is the very best article for spavins, ringbones, scratches, splints &c, that we ever used. We would not be without it in our large livery for thousands of dollars We pronounce it one of the greatest discoveries of the age It stands without a peering horse liniments See adv't d&w

Lameness is the precursor of rheumatism Escape it by heating Trask's Magnetic Ointment and rubbing in thoroughly

No Humbugging the American People

You can't humbug the American people, when they find a remedy that suits them, they use it and recommend it to their friends. Just exactly the case with Spring Blossom which has become a household word all over the United States Price 50 cents, trial bottles 10 cents d&w1w

Found at Last.

What every one should have, and never be without, is Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It is thorough and safe in its effects, producing the most wonderous cures of rheumatism, neuralgia, burns, bruises, and wounds of every kind d&w1w

To Persons About to Marry.

"To persons about to marry," Douglass Jerrold's advice was "don't;" we supplement by saying, without laying in a supply of Spring Blossom, which cure albuminaria and other kidney and bladder complaints Price 50 cents, trial bottles 10 cents.

Trouble Saved

It is a remarkable fact that Thomas' Eclectric Oil is as good for internal as external use. For diseases of the lungs and throat, and for rheumatism, neuralgia, crick in the back, wounds and sores, it is the best known remedy, and much trouble is saved by having it always on hand d&w1w

Palpitation of the Heart.

J M Might, Syracuse, N. Y writes "When I first commenced using your Burdock Blood Bitters I was troubled with fluttering and palpitation of the heart. I felt weak and languid, with a numbness of the limbs, since using, my heart has not troubled me and the numbing sensation is all go."
d&w1w

Never Fails

Mr. J Lelot, warehouseman for Lautz Bros, Buffalo, N Y, says he had a swelling on the foot which he attributed to chilblains. He used Thomas' Eclectric Oil, and is troubled no longer. d&w

The proprietors of Kendall's Spavin Cure challenge the whole world to produce its equal as a cure for rheumatism or any other deep seated pain. It stands without a rival d&w

Few sympathizers

Are met with, when all that is the matter is rheumatism. The reason is that it seldom shows any marks. The best thing that you can do when you are suffering is not to seek sympathy, but to seek the nearest drug store and buy some Thomas' Eclectric Oil.
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Amusements.

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ONE NIGHT ONLY,

Thursday, May 19th.

BY THE

ORIGINAL

JUBILEE SINGERS,

From Fisk University.

1871, Nashville, Tenn 1881.

ADMISSION - - 35, 50 and 75cts

☞Reserved Seats on sale at Curtis & Co's Jewelry Store, without extra charge. m14tf

SALE

—OF—

Short Horns,

—ON—

Thursday, June 2d

—AT—

J. H. PICKRELL'S Farm

HARRISTOWN, ILL.

Messrs. Pickrell, Thomas & Smith, will sell about sixty head, including Cows, Heifers and Bulls Mrs. Pickrell will also sell some splendid

Jersey Cows and Young Bulls.

On Friday, June 3, 1881,

At the same place, Messrs. J. N. Hoyt, J. G. Strowa, of Morgan Co., and A. L. Ford, of Sangamon Co., will sell about sixty head of

COWS, HEIFERS & BULLS.

COL. J. W. JUDY,
Auctioneer.

All passenger trains on W. St. L. & P. Ry., stop at Harristown during the sale.

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Says a prominent horseman in giving his opinion of Vanderbilts mare, Maud S., whose great feat at Chicago put her at the head (and 'dubbed' her queen of the turf) in my opinion the time is not far distant when a 2 minute gait will be recorded, it will certainly be the case if horsemen continue to use Kendall's Spavin Cure as it limbers up the joints, removes all blemishes and in fact has made a complete revolution in the horse business. See adv't. d&w1w

Rheumatism is the most terrible disease that has ever afflicted humanity, yet it instantly yields to the powerful drugs that Kendall's Spavin Cure is composed of. See their adv't.

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